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So the conference report was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶73.27 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT— NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

It is my pleasure to transmit herewith the Annual Report of the National Endowment for the Arts for the fiscal year 1995.

On September 29, 1995, at the close of the fiscal year, the Arts Endowment celebrated its 30th anniversary. A young man or woman born at the same time as this Federal agency's establishment has enjoyed access to the arts and culture unparalleled in the history of the country. The National Endowment for the Arts has helped bring tens of thousands of artists into schools, teaching tens of millions of students about the power of the creative imagination. This small Federal agency has helped launch a national cultural network that has grown in size and quality these past 30 years.

This Annual Report is another chapter in a great success story. In these pages, you will find projects that bring the arts to people in every State and in thousands of communities from Putney, Vermont, to Mammoth Lakes, California. The difference art makes in our lives is profound; we see more clearly, listen more intently, and respond to our fellow man with deeper understanding and empathy.

In these challenging times, when some question the value of public support for the arts, we should reflect upon our obligation to the common good. The arts are not a luxury, but a vital part of our national character and our individual human spirit. The poet Langston Hughes said, "Bring me all of your dreams, you dreamers. Bring all of your heart melodies . . ." For 30 years, the Arts Endowment has helped keep those dreams alive for our artists and our audiences. May it long continue to do so.

$\mbox{William J. Clinton.} \label{eq:william J. Clinton.} \mbox{The White House, } \emph{June 12, 1996.}$

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

¶73.28 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2754

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 448):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2754) to approve and implement the OECD Shipbuilding Trade Agreement. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided among and controlled by the chairmen and ranking minority members of

the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on National Security. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill, modified by the amendment printed in part 1 of the report of the Committee in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. All points of order against that amendment in the nature of a substitute are waived. No other amendment shall be in order except the amendment printed in part 2 of the report of the Committee on Rules. That amendment may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against that amendment are waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order as original text. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. DREIER, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table

¶73.29 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. EMERSON, for today until 3

To Mr. MARTINI, for today until 2 p.m.:

p.m.; To Mr. BASS, for today until 2:30 p.m.; and

To Mr. INGLIS, for today until 5 p.m. And then,

¶73.30 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. ROHRABACHER, at 11 o'clock and 59 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶73.31 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. McCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2803. A bill to amend the anti-car theft provisions of title 49, United States Code, to increase the utility of motor vehicle title information to State and Federal law enforcement officials, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-618). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 453. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3610) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104–619). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶73.32 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. DUNCAN:

H.R. 3617. A bill to amend the National Highway System Designation Act of 1995 relating to metric highway signing requirements; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mrs. Collins of Illinois, Ms. Furse, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. ROEMER, and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 3618. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to prohibit the transportation of chemical oxygen generators as cargo on any aircraft carrying passengers or cargo in air commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

H.R. 3619. A bill to provide off-budget treatment for the land and water conservation fund; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, and Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GOSS:

H.R. 3620. A bill to amend the act of October 11, 1974 (Public Law 93-440; 88 Stat. 1257), to provide for the continued operation of certain tour businesses in recently acquired areas of Big Cypress National Preserve; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. KING, Mr. MANTON, Mr. WALSH, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mrs. ROUKEMA, and Mrs. LOWEY):

H.R. 3621. A bill to amend the Anglo-Irish Agreement Support Act of 1986 to require that disbursements from the International Fund for Ireland are distributed in accordance with the MacBride principles of economic justice, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. CHRYSLER (for himself, Mr. CAMP, Mr. BUNN of Oregon, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. JONES, Mr. BONO, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. McCollum, Mr. Bartlett of Maryland, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. BILBRAY, RS, Mr. GING.... ROGERS, Mr. KOLBE Mr. TAUZIN, KOLBE. Mr. Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mrs. JOHNSON of Con-Mr. UPTON, necticut. and Mr. HASTERT):

H.R. 3622. A bill to provide for the substitution of the term "standard trade relations" in lieu of "nondiscriminatory treatand "most-favored-nation treatment', and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. FARR: H.R. 3623. A bill to require the Federal Communications Commission to revise its

television duopoly rules to require public comment on certain local marketing agreements; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 3624. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish, and provide a checkoff for, a biomedical research fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MICA: H.R. 3625. A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Historical Publications and Records Commission for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, and 2001; to the Committee on Government Reform and Over-

> By Mr. NADLER (for himself, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. FARR, Mr. FROST, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. McKinney, Mr. Moran, Ms. Rivers, Mr. SANDERS, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

3626. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to issue regulations relating to recirculation of fresh air in commercial aircraft, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ORTON:

H.R. 3627. A bill to provide for the transfer of certain lands near Myton, UT, to the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. VELAZQUEZ (for herself and Ms. MOLINARI):

H.R. 3628. A bill to establish the Lower East Side Tenement Museum National Historic Site, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. VENTO:

H.R. 3629. A bill to amend title 39, United States Code, to require that photographic evidence of a person's identity be presented before a change-of-address order shall be accepted by the U.S. Postal Service for processing; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. FOX (for himself, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. DAVIS, and Mr. FORBES):

 $H.R.\ 3630.\ A$ bill to require coverage for screening mammography and pap smears under health plans; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DAVIS (for himself, Mr. MORAN, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. BOU-CHER, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. FROST, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WILSON, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MAN-TON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. DUR-BIN, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. BILI-RAKIS):

H.R. 3631. A bill to provide for the recognition and designation of the official society to administer and coordinate the United States of America activities to commemorate and celebrate the achievements of the second millennium, and promote even greater achievements in the millennium to come by endowing an international cross-cultural scholarship fund to further the development and education of the world's future leaders; to the Committee on Government Reform

and Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on International Relations, and Banking and Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. EHRLICH:

H.R. 3632. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to repeal the requirement for annual resident review for nursing facilities under the Medicaid Program and to require resident reviews for mentally ill or mentally retarded residents when there is a significant change in physical or mental condition; to the Committee on Commerce

H.R. 3633. A bill to amend title XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to permit a waiver of the prohibition of offering nurse aide training and competency evaluation programs in certain nursing facilities; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself and

Mr. JACOBS):

H.J. Res. 180. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the Electoral College and to provide for the direct election of the President and Vice President of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

by Mr. WALKER:

H.J. Řes. 181. Joint resolution disapproving the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment-most-favored-nation treatment-to the products of the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Ways and

> By Mr. SERRANO (for himself, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. YATES, Mr. McDermott, Ms. Velazquez, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. FROST, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. Pelosi, Mr. Romero-BARCELO, Mr. WAXMAN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. Pallone, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FILNER, Mr. Stokes, Mr. Cummings, Mr. Mar-TINEZ, Mrs. MALONEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mr. MANTON, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. NADLER):

H. Con. Res. 184. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to pediatric and adolescent AIDS; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself, Mr. FARR, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. Waxman, Mr. Pombo, Mrs. Seastrand, Mr. Riggs, Mr. Gallegly, Mr. Baker of California, Ms. Eshoo, and Mr. DOOLITTLE):

H. Res. 452. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Colombian fresh cut flowers should not receive preferential tariff treatment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. LOFGREN (for herself and Mr. FARR): H. Res. 454. Resolution directing the Com-

mittee on House Oversight of the House of Representatives to take all necessary steps to make voting records of members of the House and other information on the legislative activities of the House accessible on the Internet through the official homepage of the House of Representatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

¶73.33 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows: